



**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2026 CREATIVE WORLD AWARDS
PRELIMINARY FINALISTS (FIRST ROUND)**

FEATURE SCREENPLAYS

ACTION ADVENTURE

Alien Slaughtership	Kenneth	Kleemann
Area 51: Target The President	Adrian C	Catarzi
Audacity	Dave	Pearce
Blackbeard	Tamara	Jock
Bloodline: Murder in a Small Town	William	Sanders
Cadre	Brian	Streaty
Collision of Duty	Jermaine	Jones
DNA. The Alex Cave series book 6.	James M.	Corkill
Doc Savage: Dark Empire	Marc	DeLamater
Don't Call Me Hero	Michael	Elliott
Duty to Protect	Daniel	Levy
Escape	Marc H	Stevens
Fatal Error adatation to film	Mark	Mazza
Faye of Avaline	Alan	Howcroft
Gilgamesh	Patsy	Callaghan
Hysteresis	Lynn	Vincentnathan
I Am Ramira	Raluca	Dobre
Island 35	Richard	Huttner
Landry	Eric	Sollars
Legacy	Chris	Williamson
Mismanaged Love	William	Finnegan
Morph Trouble	Richard	Hohenrath
My Exciting Afghanistan	Iliyas	Daudi
Omega: The Elderana Saga	Antonio	D'Ambrosio
Pathfinder Down	Thomas	Brannagan
Ruby-licious: Wilbert's Hectic Summer	Kurt	Anbarci
Separated By Force	John	Ravitz

Tailspin	lawrence	cremo
The Autumn Paladin	Michael	Begg
The Devil's Grace	David	Carren
The Last Hit	Ian	Scharfman
The Paper Squadron	Carlton	Welch
The Rostrum	William	Sanders
These Trees	Ciriaco	Griego
Tweed	John	Heather
Two Brothers: The Sequel	William	Wong
Volcano Cowboys	Korry	Walter
We Were Legends	Joseph	Ross
Western Vampires	Andreas	Tihanyi
What Ships Are For	Connie	McGill

ALL DRAMA / FAMILY

7 Christmases	Linda	Butorac		
A Colombian Saga: The Movie	Ronald	Brickman		
A Hundred Miles	Alessandra	Ashley		
A Misnamed Fate	Chelsea	Lin		
A Song of Bullets	Lizzy	Shannon		
Alex	Joachim	Bottcher		
American Relics	Richard	Hatch		
Another Life	Matthew	Campobasso		
Autumn and Everything After	Virginia	Austin		
Avenue A	Stanley	Katz		
Bad Girls	Kevin	Machate		
Beneath the Badge	R. T.	Bowersox		
Benita the Invincible	Terry	Lynam		
	Shannon			
Better Angels	Denise	Evans		
Blackness of Space, Whiteness of Bones	Melissa L.	White		
Blinded by Faith	Helen	Hudson		
Broken Bang	Ted	Gavarkavich		
Christmas Homework	Clem	Martini		
Come Together	Taylor	Bartczak		
Death In	Grant	Huffman		
December 8th	Mark	Carpenter		
Dinner with Rembrandt	Gabrielle	Restivo		
Edgewater	Jason	White		
Emma	Adam	Slotkowski	& Eline	Melton
Entanglement	Dave	Leavitt		
Escravos	Mike	Teverbaugh		
For - Evah	Roselida	Porrello		
For Goodness Sake	DD	Lippman		

Ghosts' Stories	Edward	Horodyski		
God's Own	Adam	Karpin		
In Loco Parentis	Michael	Begg		
In The Garden	Christal	Kahles-Jones		
Intersecting Paths: The Crossing Year	Jeffery	Lane		
It's What You See	Lisa	Hickey		
Joan Bressler Set in Philadelphia	Atty	Coll		
Kipling's Soldier	Iliyas	Daudi		
Lake Shore Drive	Sean	Oyer		
Lucy vs. The HOA	Shaun	Hittle		
Miracle Girl	Joy	Sawyer		
	Nathan			
Miss Dixie is a Pixie	Carliner	Goldman		
Playing the Changes	George	Collins		
Rock Star	David	Faulkner		
Rooster	Edward	Pontacoloni		
Salkantay	Maya	Bar-Lev		
Sam Katt, Detective	V.R.	Zahn		
Something Toxic	Michael	Casey		
South Wind Come	Ernestina	Juarez		
Strikezone	David	Nighbert		
The Balladeer	Fred	Calvert		
The Cannonball Kid	Adrian C	Catarzi		
The Celery Fields	Jane	Therese		
The Culling	Daniel	Levy		
The Decision	Carlos	Perez		
The Extraordinary World of Cecily				
Blinkstop	Jennifer	Potts		
The Fourth Psalm	John	Martins III		
The Lure	John	Dyer		
The Money Tree	Shiva	Ramanathan		
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The Most Dangerous Days	David	Gonzalez	Clinton	Murdock
The Order of Sacrifice	Jim	Hendricks		
The Repair Man	Brian	McGrath		
The Road Unpaved	Risa	August		
The Romantic	Richard	Allen		
The Saviors Journey	Michael	McDermott		
Two Gentlemen of the 25th Precinct	David	Newton		
Uncle Joey	Maria	Felicetti		
Wheels of Hope	Tim	Vogel		
When Vengeance Wears Heels	Robert	Holton		
When Will I See You Again?	Michael	Elliott		
Why Not Her?	Taylor	Bartczak		

COMEDY

31 Frames	Anna	Driukker		
A Family's Business	Jim	Norman		
All Up in Your Bizness	Julie	Newland		
Annie Hell	Ervin	Anderson		
Authentic	Amy	Ludwig		
Back To You	Andre	Cadioli Gouvea		
Bank Run	Arnaud	Hubert		
Based on a Non-True Story	Emilio	Santin		
Boys	Taylor	Bartczak		
Daughter vs The Swindlers	Toni	Hills		
Doug	Evan	Neill		
Dudes & Bros	William	Sobel		
Glassman	Steve	Oskie		
Jackalope	Luke	Guidici		
Jefe 13	David	Sharif		
Kick Rocks	Peter	Herlan		
Losing Light	Nick	Pullia		
Moon Walkers	Elizabeth	Appell		
Mothership	Joe	Leone		
NOT the Story of My Life	Devi	Snively		
Outsider Deep Purple	Andrew	Lampack		
Pelopolis Life-Giver	Debi	Yazbeck		
Puppy Love	David	Woll		
Purpose	Cary-Jamal	Thompson	& C.Z.	Robins
Remember the Refugio!	Drew	Mackintosh		
Selling Seattle Feature	Jim	McGuffin		
Sex, Drugs & Crow's Feet	Joanne	Rose		
Surf City	Robert	Breedlove		
The Chelsea Chronicles	Kevin	Machate		
The Chemistry of Ice	Lisa	Hickey		
The Cursing Tree	Nan	Schmid		
The Guessing Game	Johnny	Kurtzuba		
The Leprechaun Trap	Carlton	Welch		
The Sullys	Dennis	Hennessey		
When Pigs Fly	Terry	Podnar		

HORROR THRILLER FANTASY

100 Lifetimes	Kevin J.	Howard
Alaska Syndrome	Matthew	Walsh
Anthropoid	James	Wicks
Apt. 763	Ryan	Cullen
At the Gates of Hades	Polykarpos	Parioritsas

Cabal	James	Wicks	
Cattle	Tom	Armstrong	
Code Juden	Rosalyn	Rosen	
Courier	Wes	Dyson	
Cyclical Clocks	Piyush	Dhongade	
Devils & Dust	Adam	Karpin	
Elusive	Erik	Huska	
Fear of God	Mark	Lindberg	
Feral Mountains	Terry	Podnar	
Fireflies	Amanda	Keener	
Hacked	Jonathan	Ruppert	
Haven	Shiva	Ramanathan	
House for Sale	Jim	Hendricks	
How to Steal an Election	Chris	Hall	
Immoral Immortal	Mark	Donnell	
January Seventh	Joel	Dahl	
Killer Phantom	Mohammad	Moubaydeen	
Looking for Christmas Carol	John	Lattimore	
Lucid	Janelle	Christa	
Midnight Rainbow	Kelly	Song	
Never Whistle in the Woods	Mark	Bowen	
Once in this House	Ryan	Cullen	
One Last One	Will	Lewis	& Chris Lewis
Outlaw	Andy	Yang	
Pray Our Souls to Keep	Ronald	Ecker	
Pumpkin Festival	Stephen	Avitabile	
Scapegoat	Ripley	Barnes	
Shadows in the Park	Diane	Thomassin	
She Cries Your Name	Gil	Luna	
Solomon's Ring	Warren	Lane	
Sovereign Citizen	Craig	Peters	
Specter	James	Wicks	
Stay With Me	Asgeir	Sigurdsson	
The Devil's Chalice	SherLann D.	Moore	
The Doll Keeper	Diane	Sismour	
The Dust	D.A.	Huber	
The Emergence of Carlyle	Anne-Marie	Maidan	
The Linguist	Maggie	Tsavaris	
The Manifestation	Caerthan	Banks	
The Mask of the Dragonfly	Kai	David	
The Mikado Murders	Kevin	Brunner	
The Order Of The Elevated Eye	Alex	Faber	
The Owners	Nick	Nelsen	
The Unseen Witness	J. Wayne	Davidson	

The War on Sanity	Sarah	Bravo
The Werewolf Hunters	Jack	Rice
This Life I Give to You	Muriel	Leung
Those We Leave Behind	Amanda	Keener
Trace of Evil	C.R.	Night
Tunica Hills	Michael	Begg
Unknown Octave	Troy	McCombs
Versus	Eric	Obame
We Are Not Among You	Adam	Vorenkamp
We Are One	Gregory	Thompson

ORIGINAL TELEPLAY ONE HOUR | DRAMA

12 O'Clock	Kirby	Gilshamoch	
12:37 Resistance Country	Michael John	Fedun	
A New Earth	Timothy	Parr	
Ageing Aquarius	Tom	Peterson	
Avalon: The Cold Cup	Achraf	El badaai	
Bedlam, New York	marie	robinson	
But Wait, There's More	Paul	Aluotto	
Caine Revived	Jennie	Winters	
Changes	Ana	Jobrail	
Coyotes	Jennifer	Finchum	& Curtis Ayers
Damage Patterns	Amanda	Lemberg	
Four + One	Kirby	Gilshamoch	
Germaphobe in a Sex Club	Jessica	Ennis	
Heir To The Throne	John	Bias	
Hit Me	Alex	Brown	
Hook, Line and Sinker	Oliver	Fytche	
Just the Two of Us	Lindsey	Meredith	
King of Monsters: A Dark World	Frank	Delegato	
Life In The Bottle	John	kmiecik	
Mercy Springs	helen	hudson	
Palisade!	Steffany	Sommers	
Precursor	Steve	Brown	
Project Valkyrie	Linsay	Rousseau	
Ride to Redemption	Leslie	Robinson	
Roadkill	Jack	Messitt	
Siphon: Old Money	Veronica	Small	
Star Games: The Oasis	David	Hyland	
The Adventures of Sir Hamptom the Great	Grady	Cook	
The Afghan Syndrome	Iliyas	Daudi	
The Art of Lies	John	Cooney	
The Mature Age Student	Tom	Armstrong	

The Multiplicity	Max	Jordan
The Story We Tell	Fatemeh	Ghafoori
The Trade-Offs	Patrick	Haour
Underbelly	Sally	Stubbs
Uptown Santos	Jonathan	Ramirez
Western Vampires	Andreas	Tihanyi
Willow	Marie	Robinson
	Joseph	
Windy City	Anthony	Francis

ORIGINAL TELEPLAY HALF HOUR

BiggsFaithexe	Bongo Jack	Hooper
Bunk 5	Christina	Zagarino
Empty-Nesters	Madeleine	J
Ever After	Alysha	Haran
Goddess of Fortune	Richard	Hatch
Greeners	Carole	Ryavec
Grey Matters(s)	Leslie	Robinson
Instinct	Michael	Addiego
Madness	Yazdaan	Takusi
Pool Boy	Jeremy	Roth
Spaghetti	Henry	Sarwer-Foner
Talk to Me	Kevin	Brunner
The Folklore Files	Warren	Lane

SHORT SCREENPLAYS

An Ocean Journey	Vic	Dook
Bad Moonshine	Warren	Lane
Balancing Against the Wind	Diane	Smith
Blood Enough	Saeid	Ghasemi
Bozo	Connel	Faulkner
Brownie	Curtis	Adair
Can I Borrow Your Demon?	Phillip	McSween
Cherry	Christopher	Rogers
Dancing Queens	Diana	Foronda
Dealt	Matt	Webb
Discussion with Da Vinci	Edward	Horodyski
East London Western	George	Gifkins
Evolution Among Humans	Josh	Ulrich
Good Ole Joe	Ana	Jobrail
Heartbeat	Mary	Marcano
If You Go	PJ	Palmer
Imagine and Daydream	Fiorita	Di Palma
It Will Never Be The Same	Yakiv	Karchev

J.R.'S Dilemma	Stuart	Schulz
King Duck	John	Hoff
Manclave	Frederik	Ehrhardt
Memory Care	Michelle	Tattenbaum
Mudslide	Frederik	Ehrhardt
Mummy	Cameron	Bruce
Nothing Like Blood	Ronald	Ecker
One Breath Away	Zeynep	Özdemir
Original Sin	Jordan	Arnold
Pinball Heaven	Jim	Norman
Pyrrhic	Nikki	Petkopoulos
Red Sneakers	Jennifer	Galm
Sins of the Father	Thomas	Akins, Jr.
Specular Reflection	Jason	Green
Synnoia	J.	H. Allely
Tesstine	William	Madsen
The Drill	Vee	Kumari
The Forever House	Russell	Bennett
The Last Mediation of Christ	David	Schleicher
The Revenge Club	Marla	Eaton
The Revver	Mike	Hanson
The Show	Karen Dee	Carpenter
Turning	Zhipu	Zhang
Two Single Beds	Martha	Koumarianou
We Are The Light	Raluca	Dobrescu
Weatherfront	Matilda	Thorpe
What Day Is It?	Bill	Rutkoski
You'll See, It Will Happen!	Iliyas	Daudi